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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

A three (3) month extension of time, from January 6, 2004 to and including April 6, 2004 is requested to respond to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2003 in the above-referenced application. The small entity extension fee of $265.00 (the difference between the 3 month extension fee and the $210.00 previously filed on March 3, 2004) is enclosed herewith.

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